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PREPARING FOR BATTLE

Enthusiastic Political Meeting at Philharmonic Last Night.

The Opposition Take an Important Step Towards Organizing.

The meeting of electors last evening in Philharmonic Hall was convened at 8 o'clock by the appointment of Mr. John Grant as chairman. There was at that hour a large attendance, principally composed of laboring men, merchants and mechanics, and in half, or quarter of an hour after beginning the audience had swelled to five or six hundred.

On motion of Mayor Fell, Mr. J. Grant, M. P. P., was voted to the chair.

Mr. Grant said he would perform the duties of the office with strict impartiality. As this was of the nature of a large committee meeting, to take into consideration the best means to select four candidates in the interest of reform, and against the present administration, who have shown themselves incompetent, it was not to be expected that lengthy speeches would be made. The electoral franchise was a great and a sacred trust, and should only be used to select candidates who would not betray the trust, as had been the case with an individual they all knew of. On another occasion he had likened this conduct to a certain affair that had happened over 1800 years ago. It was well known three years ago that with the exception of a small indebtedness in debentures, the public debt was only $60,000 or $70,000. We then had the graving dock as an asset, in which there was $384,000, most of which had since been refunded. All this has been expended, and an overdraft of $141,000 as well, besides the regular and largely increased revenue. Together with this, the Dominion subsidy for the last of the current year had been squandered, and before the end of the year the present indebtedness would be still further swollen. It was obvious that we were drifting rapidly into arrears, and in a short time the province would have to resort to direct taxation. The revenue of the current fiscal year would be $200,000 or $300,000 less than the expenditure, and in a few years more it would probably be $400,000 or $500,000, and if the present government remain in power the country would drift to leeward and have an expenditure of probably a million dollars. With these facts before the electors, it would be suicidal to continue the present government in power any longer. Believing the government unworthy of trust, the electors should now consider who among themselves should take their places. (Applause.)

Mr. W. E. Baines moved that Mr. R. T. Williams act as secretary.

The following gentlemen were invited to take seats on the platform: Hon. Geo. Walkem, A. Wilson, J. R. Rett, J. C. McLagan, ex-Coun. Fell, R. Beaven, J. C. McLagan moved the first resolution. He held that it was the full right of a British subject to take a part in the political affairs of the country, and would make no apology for presumption in so doing. It was well that we should organize and that we should select from amongst us four good men and true, to represent this city. It was well known in the past that some men, who had received the suffrages of the electors, had for substantial reasons "flopped;" we wanted no more of that kind. From the information he could gather from the country, he felt convinced that when the evening of the 7th of July came the present government would find that they were left out in the cold. The government had been unfaithful, and frequently were so befogged that they were incapable of transacting ordinary routine business. The electors had a sacred duty devolving upon them, and every man should come out and take one side or another. All who are opposed to the government should stand united, and going forward shoulder to shoulder, they would be victorious. He then moved the following resolution: Resolved, That in the opinion of this meeting it is desirable that a committee of fifteen be elected for the purpose of selecting candidates in opposition to the present government in the next provincial legislature for the electoral district of the city of Victoria at the approaching election. (Applause.)

Mr. Geo. Lawrence seconded the resolution. He did not think there was a man in the audience who would not say that the present government was the most odious and incompetent one this province ever had. He thought there would be but one opinion as to their conduct of public affairs, and when the day came they would meet with well-merited punishment. (Applause.)

The following gentlemen were then selected as a committee: S. Anderson, Chas. Pardoe, John Ford, G. Lawrence, Chas. Jenkinson, Capt. Walker, Stephen Whitley, Hugh McDonald, J. Roland Hett, J. C. McLagan, Alex. Wilson, R. B. Andrews, Morris Moss, Joseph Davis and W. Allen.

His Worship Mayor Fell proposed that Mr. Beaven should address the meeting. (Loud cheers.)

Mr. Beaven was received with loud plause. He expressed his happiness at the universal kindness that had always been shown him by the electors of Victoria. There was now a duty devolving upon them, as it did every four years, and he hoped they would decide to return four representatives on one side or four on the other. The representation last Legislature was two on each side, and practically amounted to none at all. After a time one of the men who had been elected to the opposition had gravitated to the other side. He had often asked the electors to support Mr. Duck, but he could not do so again. (Applause.) Either the three men who voted with the Government were right and he was wrong, or *vice versa*, and he hoped that within the next month it would be decided by the city of Victoria which was right and four reliable men be selected to oppose the Government. Every man should consider himself a committee of one to defeat the Ministry, which had prostituted responsible government. Go into the several departments and you would find chaos reigning everywhere. The finances were muddled, and the Minister could not say how his department stood. In the Lands department sufficient had been brought before the committee to show that the grossest mismanagement characterized its administration. In the Public Works department, although the rule was supposed to prevail that all contracts were let by tender, this principle was violated in almost every instance. In every case they had been voted down by the mechanical majority of 18 to 6. The Opposition had been called the sick party, probably because they had honored him with the position of leader, and as it was well known he was in ill health for some time. If it pleased them to use that name, they had his consent to do so. He would not deal very lengthily to-night with the several public questions, as numerous opportunities would be given to discuss public affairs. Referring to the Land Act, we saw a statement to day that one of the Government's land Acts had been disallowed. He had, with Mr. Duck, claimed that the lots in James Bay belonged to the city. They sold these lots and brought in a bill to whitewash the illegal sale, and now that bill was disallowed. (Cheers.) Statutes had no more weight with this Government than so much waste paper, and he questioned if there was another province in the Dominion that would submit to such mismanagement. The New Westminster branch railway contract was explained, and the speaker said he had been told that Chinese had been employed, and it was the intention of the Government to ask the House to endorse their acts. Alluding to the financial affairs, he said there was no statutory authority for the government to overdraw even $5000, while they had overdrawn $141,000, trusting to their mechanical majority to condone the act. He had much to say on the Chinese question, and he did not think there was any other question of such importance to the people of this city. He was one of five who had taken a stand on this question, and he was pleased to know that we had now an act, although very defective, that accomplished in a degree what was wanted. He did not oppose Chinese coming into the province for personal reasons, but it was a duty that we owed our children, that they should not be permitted to work with them. When in the government they had done all in their power to exclude Chinese. The railway had been built by Chinese and what was the result? No city, if we omit Victoria, had been built up by that great work, and seeing this it was the duty of the present government to have stipulated that on all future public works no Chinese would be employed. Would it not have been right and proper that the government should have made it a *sine qua non* that no Chinese should be employed on the Island railway, which received a tract of country 160 miles long to build 60 miles of road? When he had prepared a resolution on the subject, the leader had told him that he would be compelled to call upon his followers to vote it down. For this reason he doubted the sincerity of the government on this great question. He believed the country was united upon this subject, and no candidate would come before the electors advocating pro-Chinese sentiments. In conclusion he said he hoped, if they elected him again, that they would elect three others who thought as he did. [Loud cheers.]

Calls were made for Mr. De Cosmos and Mr. Humphreys but they did not come forward.

Mr. A. Wilson, who was called upon, said he had not come here to say anything, he had come at the call of a fly sheet, which had invited all who were opposed to the government to attend. He was "sain' the government," although he did not know that would burst them. Four years ago they saw that lawyers were returned, and we see by to-night's paper that the acts passed by these lawyers had been disallowed. (Cheers.) Acts have been over-ridden. How many lawyers who had sat in that House had been made so by act of parliament, not by study or brain power, but by wire-pulling? When they thought they had enough they closed the door. (Applause.) Not satisfied with what they had done, they had to protect the dentists and the doctors—they forgot the scavengers. (Applause.) These men largely controlled the House. Who controlled them? A few weeks before the House closed, a friendly excursion was got up and they were taken over the Island road. Instead of curves 800 feet, the contractors were allowed to get off with much sharper ones. This has been the most liberal House B. C. ever saw. Was there a man in the interior who wanted a road built; he got it. Was there a friend of a member who wanted a position; he got it. They looked after their friends, as they were a generous government. (Applause.) The secretary of the C. P. R.—a poor company—had told the directors that the government of B. C. had given seven miles square of land to build the road to Coal Harbor. Mr. Smithe had sworn that he owned nothing at Coal Harbor, but his wife did. [Laughter.] He had heard an independent member from the mainland say in the House that he would not have voted for the Settlement Bill had the government not given solemn promise that every cent of the dry dock refund would be spent on the mainland. Last session those same mainland members were trying to find where the money had gone, but they could not find it. Some had gone to New Westminster and some to Cowichan. [Applause.] He alluded to the enormous quantity of land given away on the island and on Peace River, all to settle with Canada, and we were not settled with Canada yet. Everything has been done to fix themselves in power, but the time had come. He believed that no man should be returned from this city who owned a foot of land at Coal Harbor, or who was a councillor. No man should be elected who would not stand up for law and order, and he would say to the workingmen, beware how you let any person trample with the seventh day of the week. They might find, if they did, that they would be getting six days' pay for seven days' work. It was the duty of every man to use his judgment in voting for candidates, and he hoped they would be careful of these Judases. [Applause.] In every community there were such men. Had we not an instance of this kind recently, in which $3500 pieces of silver had bought the representative of the people. The electors should be careful of these candidates who smelled the caucus from afar. It did not look well for one brother to be an Attorney-General and another lobbying about. He did hope the electors should select the best men and then elect them by a large majority. [Cheers.]

Mayor Fell, alluding to the present representation, two on one side and two on the other, compared it to an illustration in *Punch*, representing Whigs and Tories as 'alf-an-'alf, and showed how Duck had changed the contents of the jug by jumping out. Referring to Hon. Mr. Beaven he said he stood head and shoulders above any member in that House. An unfortunate illness had prevented him from taking his position in the House, and the government party had the heartlessness to designate his followers as the "sick party." He would say, out upon such creatures. (Applause.) They were now trembling in their shoes lest they could not get back to their nests again. I know how they feel. (Laughter.) I know how they have been approaching others, even myself, to help them out of the difficulty. Alluding to the School Bill, he said he had watched it carefully when going through the House. He had got that beautiful specimen of a lawyer, Theo. Davie, to go through the bill with him, and having pointed the defects Davie promised to see that they were attended to. But not trusting him, he was in the House when the bill came up, and he was then told by Davie that he could not do anything. He told him to go to Duck. He went to Duck—he had not then flopped—but that gentleman asked him if he thought he would commit political suicide. (Laughter.) The result is that we have a school bill full of objectionable features, and men were now on the school board who had no right to sit there. The school system was the foundation of our greatness, and he would warn the electors to beware and not return members who had not the interest of the school system at heart. The real superintendent of Education was the Honest John Robson—the best we ever had was Mr. C. C. McKenzie. He warned the electors to be up and doing. Let us have no more "half-and-half" in this city. We want no representative that is not true to the people. He had no axe to grind and could defy any man in British Columbia to say that he ever had one in any act of his public life. Referring to the Home Rule bill he said he believed that when the question was put to the people they would say that they wished Ireland to rule herself and still remain an integral portion of the empire. He advised the electors to select men of broad views, and not men who will prop up gigantic monopolies. Be true to yourselves and go for the four men selected and let all the "independent" men go to Jericho. (Applause.) Above all he would ask them to place Mr. Beaven at the head of the poll. (Loud cheers.)

Capt. Walker gave some sound counsel to the men selected. They should ask themselves if they are the men for the position, and have the backbone to do what is right for the four yerrs they are to be elected. He had always supported the party now in opposition and still thought he was nearer right than the other side. (Cheers.)

The meeting then closed, three cheers being given for the Queen and three groans for the Government.

POINT ROBERTS MURDER.

The Outcome of a Discussion on Religion—The Villain Pollard.

The stabbing affray at Point Roberts on Sunday was the termination of a dispute on religious topics, between men who knew nothing about religion. The horrible tragedy occurred in the house of the murdered man, Sweeney, at Point Roberts, on the American side. At the time there were three men in the house Pollard, Sweeney and Billy Patterson. The latter is an old man, and for many years has been a resident of this province, working generally in the mines or in logging camps. Bill Pollard, the murderer, is also well known on the Fraser river, where for a number of summers he had been engaged in the fisheries, sometimes as foreman and during one season on his own account. His home is on Lummi Island, opposite Whatcom, where he has a ranch and a Klootchman. His record is a very bad one, at least one term being served in the New Westminster penitentiary and two in gaols on the other side, for cutting. At the time of the murder, Pollard was on his way to the Fraser river. The three men named had been drinking and discussing Home Rule and religion. The argument led to blows, but the ill-feeling was thought to be over, and all three sat down to dinner. Instantly, and without a moment's warning, Pollard jumped up from his seat, seized a large carving knife, and with the words, "you white livered son of a ——, I'll fix you," stabbed Sweeney three times. The latter staggered backward, exclaimed "I'm killed" and died almost instantly. Patterson, in running out, fell over the prostrate form of the the murdered man. The murderer at once took to his boat and put off. Shortly afterwards a boat with four Indians went in pursuit; and it was scarcely possible that he could escape.

SCHOOL BOARD.

The regular monthly meeting was held last evening, all the members being present.

The teachers were granted certificates for renewal of licenses by the superintendent.

A suggestion from the teachers that an arbor day be set apart was adopted. Appointment of the day was deferred.

A communication was received from a parent complaining of the treatment of a child by a teacher. Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Reports for May showed the average daily attendance at the schools to have been 887.75, an increase compared with the previous month of 22.55, and giving a daily average of 49.32 to each teacher, there being 18 teachers.

Resolved, That the janitor of the city hall be remunerated for extra services in attending at school meetings.

Complaint was made of cattle wandering at nights through the central school grounds.

Some alterations to the rooms of the central school building were decided upon.

The annual government appropriation for defraying incidental expenses was reported to be exhausted.

The matter of obtaining subscriptions for the purchase of prizes to be presented to the school children at the close of the present term, was left in the hands of the chairman and secretary of the board.

Secretary reported that notices relative to the annual meeting on Monday next, and the elections on the following Monday had been posted.

Board went into committee of the whole.

IS IT THE AMETHYST?

There are authentic and reliable reports from Port Simpson, B. C., and Hawkan, (Jackson) Alaska, to the effect that wreckage has floated in during the past three months through Dixon's entrance, indicating a disaster of some large sailing ship. From all accounts it must settle all doubts as to the fate of the whaling bark Amethyst. Tubs of butter, studdingsail booms, tackles and blocks, a stove-in whale boat almost new, a gilt star counter sunk in a large circular disc of wood, painted white, are some of the reported wreckage recovered. The butter tubs have a branded mark on the head, consisting of a letter T resting on a crescent moon, looking a little like an anchor. Some of the gear recovered will soon be forwarded to San Francisco for identification.

—If you want a modern building, have your plans made by Fisher the Architect.

POLITICAL CRISIS.

Intense Excitement Throughout Great Britain and Ireland.

Leading Politicians Preparing for a General Election.

LONDON, June 8.—Prior to the cabinet meeting the premier held a long conference with Earl Rosebery, Foreign Secretary. The session of the cabinet lasted one hour and twenty minutes. It was decided by a unanimous vote of the cabinet to appeal to the country. Gladstone will send a special messenger to the Queen to-night with a letter recommending that her Majesty dissolve parliament as the only means to secure a stable government.

Gladstone, after announcing the dissolution of parliament, will issue a manifesto to his Midlothian constituents, which will serve as a general appeal to the country. He will visit Midlothian to inaugurate an elaborate campaign.

It has been ascertained that 94 Liberals voted against home bill. The Conservatives and Whigs are elated over Gladstone's defeat. Despatches from Ireland state that at Belfast, Londonderry, Armagh, and other towns, the loyalists have been stoned during their parades and demonstrations.

The opinion is general that Gladstone will dissolve parliament on the 28th inst. It is expected that the elections will occupy a month, and that the new house will assemble in the second week in August. John Bright voted with the opposition, and his example was followed by twenty Liberals. It is thought Gladstone will not make a final statement before dissolution until Monday next at the most.

Chamberlain has arranged to hold a meeting of his followers to decide whether they shall act with the Hartington committee or as an independent political party.

The Liberal federation has prepared a manifesto to the electors of Great Britain. It adopts Home Rule as the Liberal party platform. The union's programme will include a large extension of self-government in England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland. Mr. Chamberlain will be made president; Jesse W. Collings, secretary.

Capt. O'Shea, the only Parnellite M. P. who abstained from voting, announces his intention of withdrawing from political life.

The Most Rev. James Donnelly, D. D., Roman Catholic bishop of Clogher, County Tyrone, Ireland, and all the priests of his diocese, have sent an address to Mr. Gladstone, stating that they cannot consent longer to be trampled on by the relentless Orangemen of Ulster.

A meeting of forty Scotch peers and members of the House of Commons was held on Tuesday. Lord Roseberry presided. A committee was appointed to propagate the Irish Home Rule doctrine in Scotch constituencies.

A conference of Chamberlain's followers will probably be held on Thursday, and then a manifesto will follow.

The Whigs have virtually decided to oppose Mr. Gladstone in Midlothian. A list of government candidates has been almost completed.

A correspondent describes Parnell's closing speech as a fine effort. Every sentence was formed with the greatest accuracy to express certain shades of meaning. The concluding appeal for peace and prosperity for suffering Ireland, was delivered in a chord of tender and genuine kindness, different from his usually cold and dispassionate tone.

In many parts of Ireland there is the wildest enthusiasm amongst the loyalists over the defeat of the Home Rule measure. In other sections rioting is rife and murders committed.

The opinion of the Irish press varies according to its political complexion on the question. The Dublin *Freeman's Journal* says that although the bill is killed for the moment, both the House and country is committed to the scheme.

The *Express*, (oppositionist) says that it is yet too soon to triumph. The constitution, it is true, has won the first pitched battle, but the campaign has only begun.

The Cork *Constitution* (Tory) believes that a calamity to Ireland and a crowning disgrace to England have been averted in the defeat of Mr. Gladstone's seditious plot against the Queen.

The *Herald* (Nationalist) says: Let the friends of Ireland be dignified, patient, and forbearing. When England finally rejects a settlement it will be time enough for Irishmen to nerve themselves to struggle anew.

GLADSTONE'S SPEECH.

The following is the concluding portion of Mr. Gladstone's speech received on Tuesday by cable from London:

The Premier said: It has been made practicable to hold countries together which would not have been so held. A member opposite has imprudently interrupted by calling out Turkey. I will tell him that in the case of Turkey, with its imperfect organization, where there has not been a violent interference of the local autonomy, it has been tried with best effects. *Ex illo fleuve acretio sub lapsu referenti spes dannum.* There has been no great day-hope for Ireland, no day when you might hope completely and definitely to end the controversy till now. After more than 90 years, the long period of time has at last run out, and the star has again mounted up to the heavens. What Ireland was doing for herself in 1797, we at length have done. Roman Catholics have been emancipated after a woeful disregard of solemn promises, though 29 years emancipated, slowly, sullenly, but not from good-will, but from abject terror, with all the fruits and consequences that will follow that legislation. A second problem has also been solved, and representation in Ireland has been reformed, and I am thankful to say that the franchise was given to Ireland, together with a readjustment last year, with a free and open mind. That gift of franchise was the last act required to make the success of Ireland in her final effort absolutely sure. We have already given to Ireland and we must now listen to what she has to say.

DEATH OF A CAPTAIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—Capt. Gordon Berry, a native of Prince Edward Island, and who was formerly master of the steamship City of Peking, died yesterday at his home on Folsom street. He was well known in shipping circles, having been to sea since early boyhood, and was considered the ablest commander in the P. M. S. S. Co.'s service.

To-day's Despatches

A GENERAL ELECTION.

LONDON, June 9.—The Queen's private secretary had an interview with Gladstone to-day. Immediately afterwards the Premier convoked the cabinet council, which remained in session two hours. All parties are preparing for a general election with feverish haste and anxiety. The Liberal Whips to-day declare that Gladstonian candidates will be in the field in every constituency in Great Britain and Ireland within two days.

Schnadhorsth, chief of the National Liberal Federation, has been conferring with Gladstone to-day.

RIOTING IN BELFAST.

BELFAST, June 9.—Orangemen are again rioting here to-day. They have wrecked one hundred houses in the city, two of which they burned. The rioters have broken into several whiskey stores and possessed themselves of their contents. A number are lying about in the gutters drunk; others rendered desperate or maudling by drink are prowling about the streets crying out, "to h— with the Pope." Several assaults have been made by the police upon the rioters. Twenty-five of the latter have already been severely wounded by buckshot fired at them. The police have been ordered to fire balls to-night in the event of any general renewal of the rioting.

NEW WAR MACHINES.

BERLIN, June 9.—The infantry regiments at Frankfort-on-Main are being drilled to the use of the bicycle and tricycles for military purposes. The men ride these machines in marching order.

A SENSATIONAL DISPATCH.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—The *Post-Dispatch* published a sensational cable dispatch to-day, claiming that Parnell, the great Irish leader, has been involved in a social scandal, and that owing to this fact O'Shea, one of the Nationalists, failed to vote for the Home Rule measure in the Commons on Tuesday morning.

GOV. SWINEFORD CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The most important business done in the secret session of the Senate to-day was the confirmation of Gov. Swineford of Alaska.

FROM ALASKA.

The steam schooner Karluk, Captain Jacobsen, has arrived at Port Townsend from Stickine, Alaska, where she delivered coal.

Advices from Sitka, under date of May 27th state that times have been very lively in Sitka, on account of district court being in session. The grand jury indicted forty-five persons for selling and importing whiskey into Alaska. Henry, U. S. Commissioner at Juneau, has been arrested and is on trial for not making proper returns of his office.

It is reported that the grand jury was trying to have the agents of the steamship company indicted for the transportation of tramps and cranks into the territory.

The schooner Leo landed about one hundred gallons of whiskey on her last trip to Alaska.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. R. Dunsmuir left for Nanaimo this morning.

Hon. Mr. Smithe has gone to see his constituents and will endeavor to pull the wool over their eyes.

Mr. S. Gray and family, of Chemainus, returned home to-day. Mr. G. will be a candidate against Mr. Smithe.

Mr. S. Leiser was a passenger by the Amelia this morning.

Mr. Jas. Angus arrived down from Vancouver this afternoon.

Mr. Harkness, of the Vancouver *News*, is in the city.

Capt. G. J. Ainsworth and wife are again in the city.

Mr. G. B. Wright and wife came down from Vancouver to-day.

Gen. Sprague was up seeing the terminus and returned to-day.

Gen. J. G. Sprague and wife, Quincy, Ill., are at the Oriental.

E. Wells, Mrs. Wells and Miss Wells, are guests at the Oriental.

J. S. Wallace, Seattle, is in the city.

H. B Dart, Boston Bar, is in the city.

J E Johnson and wife, of Fargo, Da., are contrasting our climate with the frigidity of the land of the Dakotas.

At the Occidental: Geo W Golden, Detroit, Mich.; D E Nicholas, Portland; Mrs Fawcett, Manitoba.

Mr. W J Goepel cabled to-day that he would leave Liverpool for this city on Saturday next.

Passengers by the Bithet this morning: Jno McLennan, of Yale; John Gilmore, Nicola; Mr. Manson, of Manson & Henry.

Mr. A J Dana, store keeper of the Pacific division of the C. P. R. arrived in Vancouver on Tuesday last.

Mr. S. T. Mackintosh, manager of the Dominion telegraph office, New Westminster, was a passenger by the Bithet yesterday. His health of late has not been such as his friends would wish it to be. He is at present an inmate of the French Hospital, where he is undergoing treatment. In a few weeks he hopes to be fully restored to his wonted health and vigor.

Mr. John McDougall, an officer in the Hudson Bay Co.'s service, reached the city yesterday from Winnipeg, having come overland via the C. P. R. line.

Passengers by the Princess Louise to-day from Vancouver: Geo J Ainsworth and wife, G B Wright and wife, Mrs O Sprague, Gen Sprague, Ludovici, Gamble, C Simpson, Perrin, J Angus, Wm Howe, Bosshardt, E A Wilmot, D C Nicholas, D Dummond, Renouf, R Dewer, E Hardman, Fred W Carleton, B Springer.

Passengers by the Geo. E Starr: Miss Anderson, T Thompson, Pike, G W Golden, G T Davenport and wife, H Warren, J O'Connor, F Pierce, J E Johnson and wife, Miss Simpson, Mrs Fawcett, Louis Johnson, E Wells, wife and daughters, Delafield, Higgins, J H Wright, Wallace, L Meyer, James Wilson, M Sullivan, Lee Pond, Lee Wan.

PAINTING.

Classes in oil painting, drawing and decorative work of various kinds will be opened Wednesday, June 2d, by Mrs. E. J. Miller, in the rooms over Mr. Watt's music store. For particulars apply to R. W. Watt & Co.

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ACROSS IN FOUR DAYS.

In the last issue of *Forum* there appears a very interesting paper by Prof. THURSTON on the "Limit of Speed in Ocean Travel," in which occurs this sentence: "It may, however, be considered as not at all improbable that those of us who live to the next century may see the Atlantic crossed in less than four days." To accomplish such a result vessels must be built capable of attaining twice the speed of the fastest steamers now plying between Europe and America. The two great Cunarders, the Umbria and Etruria, can make in a smooth sea about twenty knots an hour. The beautiful and ill-fated Oregon was scarcely inferior, and the America and Aurania are of but little less speed. Therefore a ship equal to the work expected by Prof. THURSTON must steam at the rate of forty knots, or about forty-seven miles an an hour. So doing, she would cross the Atlantic in eighty hours, or in less than three and a half days. The Oregon was 500 feet long, 54 feet breadth of beam, 7500 tons measurement. The Etruria is 520 feet long, 57 feet beam, and of 8000 tons burden. The leviathan suggested by Prof. THURSTON as the ship to cross in 80 hours, he makes 800 feet long, 80 feet beam, of 35 feet draught, and 38,000 tons burden. To make the speed of the Oregon, such a vessel under a rule of naval architecture, would require 35,000 horse power, as against 12,000 in the smaller steamer. The law is that to double that speed, or raise it to 40 knots, eight times the power needed for 20 knots would be required; but inasmuch as the law of resistance becomes much more favorable at these higher rates of speed, Prof. THURSTON fixes the limit of the probable power required at 250,000 horse power. The weight of the steam machinery for the new ship he estimates at 7,500 tons, or the total tonnage of the Oregon, and the consumption of coal at 175 tons an hour, 3,200 tons a day, or 10,500 for the voyage. The weight of fuel and machinery would therefore be 18 000 tons. Allow 12,000 tons, or, according to the present construction, about one-third of the total displacement, for the weight of the hull, and 8,000 would be left for passengers, crew and cargo. Of course many problems would have to be solved in the construction of the machinery for a ship so enormous, but experience indicates that they would be conquered if there was a demand for the vessel. The engineer and shipbuilder will be equal to the work when they are called upon to perform it. There is, however, an economic obstacle. To-day, as Professor THURSTON says, the fastest ships do not pay expenses, and there will be no incentive to increase the speed so long as that is the case; but "when more passengers and more precious freight can be found to pay for the faster ships, faster ships will be built."

He estimates that the cost of running his ship would not be less than $75,000 for each voyage, to pay which sum the passage money of 500 passengers at an average of $150 a head would be required. Then the profit could be made on the freight and mails carried. Would the saving of three or four days' time induce sufficient travel at such rates as to make it worth while to go to the enormous expense of building and running the vessel? Just at present it is hardly doubtful that the steamship companies would give a negative answer to that question.

THE French government has at last consented to allow the Panama Canal Company to issue a loan of 600,000,000 francs, provided the company is enabled to show that this sum will be sufficient to complete the work. The amount is probably based upon the report of M. Roussean, the delegate whom the government sent to inspect the work, and who questioned the company's estimates of what would be a sufficient sum for this purpose. Seven hundred and seventy-one millions of francs have already been expended; and this, with the loan to be authorized, will make a total capital expenditure of $274,000,000. With a loan of 600,000,000 francs on which to pay interest, the earnings of the canal will require to be enormous if the stockholders are to get a dividend. Should this loan succeed, as it may in the present state of the money market, there will be a prospect that this great work, on which so many lives have been sacrificed in the deadly climate of Panama, may after all be completed.

A PROPER STEP.

The executive committee of the Trades and Labor Assembly of Chicago, and the master workman there, have issued a circular condemning the anarchists, and declaring the entire want of sympathy among genuine workingmen with the wild ideas and demonstrations of those fanatical scoundrels. The circular also recommends members of labor organizations to avoid public processions and open-air meetings, and the use of violent language at their meetings. There was, of course, no need, so far as giving any new information to intelligent men is concerned, of any denial by labor organizations, or laboring men outside of them, of the slightest sympathy with the gospel of massacre, but it was well that the denial should be made. The anarchist gang may be as ignorant of the real beliefs and aims of American workingmen as it seems to be of American government and life generally, and the emphatic declarations of labor unions in Chicago and elsewhere may serve to show the anarchists the folly, or at least the danger, of further active demonstrations. On all the criminal and vicious persons, too, who make their hiding places in great cities, and are prompt to take advantage of every opportunity of disorder and riot, the knowledge of the stern temper of workingmen to violence must have a salutary effect. There is no chance for worthless and dangerous fellows to steal the name of labor to cover their love of plunder and their hatred of society. Probably employers of labor see in the labor organizations a comparatively new, revolutionary, and perhaps dangerous force; and yet it must be noticed that their influence is emphatically against violence. Divisions often occur in these organizations and they are sometimes betrayed into mistakes; and yet it seems clear that through all these errors the aim of these associations of laboring men is high, and their influence in a time of serious labor disturbances is steadily exerted in favor of order and against violence. The individual pride in the good name of the whole order, and a growing sense of responsibility by each member of it, must tend more and more to increase this tendency.

GOLD IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

Formation of the First Company to Work a Mine.

A gold mining company has been formed in St. Johns recently and is about to commence operations with fair prospects of success. The locality in which this new industry is to commence is in the neighborhood of Brigus, on the north shore of Conception bay, about forty miles from St. Johns. Nearly six years have elapsed since gold was discovered in this region. The late Mr. Murray, geologist, visited the scene of the discovery in 1880. On blasting the quartz rock he found traces of gold both in small masses and nuggets and diffused in specs, which were perceptible under a lens. In his report he said "that a large area of country in the regions referred to is auriferous there can scarcely be a doubt. The indications are certainly sufficiently favorable to merit a fair trial." The effect of Mr. Murray's report was that the whole quartz-bearing region was speedily covered with licenses to search for gold. The necessary capital, however, was not forthcoming, and until now no effort was made to test the quartz. Recently some enterprising individuals took the matter up in earnest. Samples of the quartz were taken out and submitted to skilled analysts in London and elsewhere. Their reports showed that even these surface specimens yielded from 4 to 16 dwts of gold per ton, and that an average of 8 dwts might be fairly anticipated, and a handsome profit secured. Skilled engineers examined some of the localities, and recommended the prosecution of the enterprise. A company has now been formed and sufficient capital subscribed. Machinery has been ordered and the services of an experienced manager have been secured. Should this experiment prove successful, there is little doubt that auriferous quartz will be found in other regions, and gold mining may become a remunerative industry. The report of the geological survey warrant the expectation that the equivalents of the gold-bearing rocks of Nova Scotia are developed in Newfoundland, and these, according to Mr. Selwyn, are the representatives of the Cambrian and lowest members of the Silurian system.

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Details of the Wreck of the "William Law" —Gallant Men Lose their Lives.

LOUISBURG, C. B., May 28.—The crew of the wrecked "William Law" had a thrilling experience in getting ashore. She was the fourth largest vessel belonging to Yarmouth, and had just been thoroughly overhauled at Havre. A week after leaving port a sailor fell from the maintopsail yard, one hundred feet, and was dashed to death. During a dense fog she ran on the rocks in one of the wildest spots in Nova Scotia, where many years ago, a passenger vessel was wrecked, and over three hundred lives were lost. A heavy sea dashed the vessel against the breakers, and it seemed as if all would be lost. As a last resort, and after great exhaustion, the second mate swam ashore and made the line fast to the rock, and by this means all the crew except two were saved. Several had hairbreadth escapes. The steward got entangled in the ropes, and was washed away, those on shore and those remaining on the wreck being equally helpless to render aid. The cook was almost ashore when a heavy roll of the sea caused the doomed vessel to take a sudden lurch, causing the unfortunate man to lose his grasp of the rope and to be hurled into eternity. His cries for help were pitiful but unavailing. Those who were saved were in a greatly exhausted condition, many of them half naked and drenched to the skin. They had to make their way some miles to the nearest settlement, and presented a sorry spectacle on their arrival there.

WHAT adds to the unpopularity of the cyclone is that, says the Chicago *Tribune*, while it blows away almost everything on a farm, it has never been known to take the mortgage.

There is a hitch in the Beach-Harcourt arrangements, Mr. Innes, Hanlan's representative, being somewhat slow in posting a forfeit. It is possible that Hanlan may be shoved aside and Wallace Ross get the first shot at the Australian. But where, we ask, is that young giant of the sculls, Teemer?

DYSPEPSIA.

Sedentary habits, mental worry, nervous excitement, excess or imprudence in eating or drinking, and various other causes, induce Constipation followed by general derangement of the liver, kidneys, and stomach, in which the disorder of each organ increases the infirmity of the others.

The immediate results are Loss of Appetite, Nausea, Foul Breath, Heartburn, Flatulence, Dizziness, Sick Headaches, failure of physical and mental vigor, distressing sense of weight and fullness in the stomach, and increased Costiveness, all of which are known under one head as **Dyspepsia.**

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Notice.

In the matter of the Estate of John Casper Van Alimen, deceased.

TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Thursday, the 17th June next, for the purchase of the Lease and Goodwill of the business known as the Commercial Hotel, Douglas street, Victoria, together with the furniture therein.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated 17th day of May, 1886.

S. PERRY MILLS,
may17 1m Solicitor for Executor.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Estate of William Turgoose, deceased,

SADLER and TURGOOSE against SANDOVER.

The creditors of the said William Turgoose, who died at Saanich on the 22nd day of January 1885, are, pursuant to an order of this Court, on or before the 21st day of June, 1886, to send in to James Charles Prevost, the Registrar of the Supreme Court, their Christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the sureties, if any, held by them.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honorable Court on the 21st day of June, 1886, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon, at his office, James Bay, Victoria, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

CHARLES WILSON,
may12 D&W 1m Solicitor for the Plaintiff

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Plumper Pass	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 A M	.....	.....
Granville, Moodyville	.....	7 A M	.....	7 A M	.....	.....	12 M
Port Moody	.....	7 A M	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 M
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ap8 D & W 1m J. J. McDONALD, Proprietor.

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A SANGUINARY SIEGE.

GEN. LONGSTREET'S ATTACK UPON FORT SAUNDERS, NEAR KNOXVILLE.

One of the Hardest Fights of the War—Saved by Three Hundred Shovels—Telegraph Wire Strung Along the Ground—A Fearful Slaughter.

If Gen. Longstreet hadn't blundered into attacking the strongest fortification about Knoxville in November, 1863, and had assailed any one of the other defenses, it is likely that the history of the war in east Tennessee would have taken on a very different color than the one historians now give it.

Early in November Burnside learned that Longstreet was en route from Chattanooga to Knoxville, and, like David, he went out to meet him, and, unlike the slayer of the Phillistines, he came hastily back, "licked." He had met Longstreet at Campbell's station, a few miles southwest of Knoxville, and then lost no time in reaching his Knoxville headquarters. Maj. Hoxie, who is now a prominent Knoxville business man, was then the superintendent and general manager of the East Tennessee railroad, told me the other day that Burnside came to him immediately on his return and said: "You have four cars here at your disposal, and four engines. I want you to place quick combustibles under every one of those cars and be ready to touch a match to them at a moment's warning." Gen. Burnside's paymaster had just received about $4,000,000 in greenbacks, and they were all stored in an old building, which now stands on Gay street. From Maj. Hoxie the general obtained a quantity of turpentine and stored it near this wealth, with instructions to saturate and ignite the minute Longstreet entered Knoxville.

SAVED BY THREE HUNDRED SHOVELS.

At the same time the people of the city were not idle. At the fight on Malvern hills, in Virginia, Longstreet had captured from McClellan 300 shovels and sent them up to Richmond. The Confederate government subsequently sold these identical 300 shovels to the president of the East Tennessee, and he turned them over to the custody of Maj. Hoxie, who had them stored in this city. They were the city's salvation. Had Longstreet thrown them into the James River Knoxville could not have been fortified, and Burnside would either have been captured or have skedaddled up to the Potomac army. Every man who could handle a pick or shovel, soldier and civilian alike—and there were mighty few civilians in east Tennessee during the war—was at work.

Fort Saunders was erected in a night. Rifle-pits and earth-works surrounded Knoxville, and in less than seventy-two hours Burnside from his headquarters on Gay street, could communicate by wire to a half a dozen different garrisons. Fort Saunders was commanded by Gen. Feraro, who before the war was a French dancing-master. In this fort the links uniting the cars which Burnside wanted Hoxie to be ready to burn, were buried. The manager was a railroad man, and knew that the cars without links were as useless as cars without wheels, and so took this precaution to disable rather than destroy.

TRIPPED BY TELEGRAPH WIRE.

Fort Saunders was by far the strongest of all the fortifications, and it was against it that Longstreet made his fatal charge. In going over the ground and through the fort to-day, Maj. Hoxie said: "Over there," pointing to some woods a mile or more away, "was where Longstreet formed. This open field, which now lies before us, was then covered with underbrush, stumps and fallen trees. At my suggestion a lot of telegraph wires, which I had furnished, had been strung all along through the field for a quarter of a mile, and fifty or sixty feet away from the rifle pits. It was strung about a foot from the ground, just high enough to catch a man on his shins. The Confederates came charging up that field just at daylight. They had planned to get in between the range of our guns, but were swept on the left flank by a battery of which they were ignorant, and then when they struck that wire they tumbled one over the other almost panic-stricken. The sensation of being thus tripped must be very similar to that of being shot in the legs. At any rate the immediate results were the same. The slaughter then became frightful." Maj. Hoxie then went on to describe the coolness of a Lieut. Benjamin in Feraro's command.

Benjamin saw the predicament into which the wire had thrown the Confederates, and seizing an armful of small bombs, he coolly lighted his cigar, advanced in the fortification near enough to be within bomb's throw of the enemy, and then cutting the fuse, he would light each with his cigar and three or four seconds before the explosion hurl them among the men struggling over the telegraph wire in the rifle-pit. Each explosion was terrific and and carried with it death to a dozen men. The attack did not last but a few minutes. Not a man was killed in the fort. Over 1,400 Confederates were left dead in the pits and on the field. Longstreet retreated, skirted round the city, and went on up into Virginia, where he joined Lee.—Knoxville Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.

Hereditary Causes of Consumption.

After a study of nearly 12,000 cases, Dr. Herman Brehmer, an able German physician, rejects the theory of the contagiousness of pulmonary consumption. He finds the disease to be due to deficient nutrition of the lungs, which may result from various antecedent causes, such as inherited defects of constitution, and vital organs impaired by disease, injury, or mode of living. He believes that the operation of all these causes may produce such changes that it may be possible—years, even decades, in advance—to predict with great probability which members of a given family will beafflicted with pulmonary consumption, and which will remain healthy.—Arkansaw Traveler.

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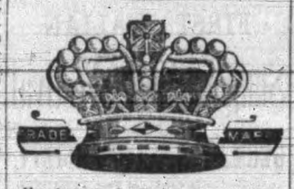

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Victoria, May 14, 1886. may14

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October 3rd, 1885 oct3

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WM. SMITHE, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., May 20th, 1886. may 29

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CHAS. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, May 19, A. D. 1886. may21 1m

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A. A. GREEN.

May 22nd, 1886. je8 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon river, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the west bank of said river and 20 chains below the mouth of the Memekay river and running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated in Loughborough Inlet, Coast District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the east shore and about four miles from mouth of said Inlet, and running east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law

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T. D. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, thence due south 40 chains, thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TIRWHITT DRAKE.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District; thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51 and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon river, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on its west bank and about 30 chains below the mouth of the Memeka river, at a d running west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 9th, 1886. ap10 law 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a creek emptying out of a lake south of Powell's Lake and described as follows: Commencing at a stake at the southwest corner of M. C. Ireland's location on said lake; thence west eighty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains, to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 7, 1886. my18-2m

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A. M. NANTON.

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TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the outlet of the lake on the west side; thence west eighty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north to the shore of the lake; thence along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

Dated May 7, 1886. may18 1 2m

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J. R. WAGHORN.

Dated May 6, 1886. may18 1 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the northwest corner of said lake; thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence northerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5, 1886. may18 1 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake north of Gordon Pasha Lake; and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half a mile west of a stake on the south west corner of said lake; thence north eighty chains; thence west forty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east forty chains to the place of commencement.

J. R. WAGHORN

Dated May 7, 1886. May 18 1 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, at the outlet of Gordon Pasha Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake on the north shore; thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

May 10, 1886. may18 1 2m

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A. M. NANTON.

Dated May 5, 1886. may18-3m

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R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5, 1886. may18 1 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase five hundred acres of land more or less, situated in New Westminster District on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half way on west side of said lake; thence west 40 chains; thence north forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence southerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5, 1886. may18 1 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 10 acres of land situated on the sea shore, east of Galliano Island, to the northward of and adjoining the Indian Reserve.

ENOS FRITZ.

Victoria, May 28, 1886. may29 w 2m

B. C. Gazette copy.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, June 9, 1886

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

MARRIED.

CARSON—BOYD.—At Cottonwood House, on the 24th May, by the Rev. Mr. Hall, of Clinton, Mr. A. Carson, of Quesnelle, to Mary, eldest daughter of John Boyd, Esq., of Cold Springs and Cottonwood.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—A wedding in high life is on the *tapis*.

—Pendray & Co.'s Oatmeal Toilet Soap is gaining in favor every day. *

—Ice cream freezers at E. G. Prior's Government street. *

—The Daisy, Capt. Cavin, with three barges of lumber in tow, came down from Chemainus last night.

—According to the Vancouver dailies real estate is again becoming lively at the terminus.

—The Sal Soda and Washing Powder manufactured by Pendray & Co., is the best in the market and cheap, too. *

—Lake Ice for sale at J. Baker's, Pembroke St., above Douglas. Telephone Call No. 12. *

—Look out for a grand display of fireworks, &c., on the 19th at the Agricultural Grounds.

—The Y. M. C. A. will hold a strawberry festival in the school-room of the First Presbyterian Church on Monday evening 22d inst.

—T. J. Jones, L.D.S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.*

—The steamer Teaser will now check baggage to Burrard Inlet, New Westminster, Ladner's Landing, Hope and way ports. *

—Mr. Bush says that if Seeley is dissatisfied with the stakes, $25, in the proposed boat race, he can be accommodated with $100 to row the race on Saturday as first agreed upon.

—The Fraser river is still rising. A repetition of the inundations of 1882 is feared by the settlers, who have just begun to get clear of the difficulties caused them by the 1882 disaster.

—The leader in the progress of invention for over 24 years, the envy of the trade and the boast of its buyers, THE LIGHT-RUNNING DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE. T. W. FLETCHER, Agent.

—The Willamette at Portland on Sunday last was 19 feet 6 inches above low water mark. Should the Columbia rise a few inches more the ferry at Kalama will have to be abandoned for a time, and steamers utilized between that point and Portland.

—The Geo. E Starr brought freight for: Jas Jackson, Thos Dunn, R Lettice, G H Maynard, T Cunningham, Marvin & Tilton, S Leiser, J B Ferguson, D McPhadden, S J Pitts, A W Huson, J McPhee, G R Ordano, H B Co, Reed & C, T B & Co, H D Hawkins, E G Prior, N E P Society, A B Gray, Langley & Co, E S S & Co, G H Smith, A Cowan, Dr A E Praeger, W S Wilson, Jas Crawford, A M Herring, D S Curtis, M Lenz, W H Redmond, C Strouss, N Portman.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

Ah Soon was charged under the Vagrant Act with being an idle person without visible means of support. The evidence of two police officers proved that the defendant was a sort of watchman for a gambling den on Government street, back of Chu Chung's store, and that he was patrolling his beat at all hours. Fined $25, or two months at hard labor. Ah would sooner pay over the fine than go to gaol, and did so.

DOMINION EXPRESS COMPANY.

Messrs. W. S. Stout, general manager of the Dominion Express Company, Toronto, and Mr. H. Samuels, the company's agent at Winnipeg, are guests at the Driard. They came by way of the Canadian Pacific, utilizing the train service as far as it was possible, and handcar for the balance of the route. With the scenery and all they saw *en route*, they are greatly pleased; and charmed with Victoria and her surroundings. It is the intention of the Dominion Express Company to complete arrangements for the extension of its service to this coast. That company has control of the Canadian Pacific company's system throughout Canada. It has been decided to make the rates to and from all points on that vast system as low as possible, the object of the express company being to accommodate the public in such a manner as will ensure a considerable amount of traffic. So soon as the passenger service on the railway begins, tariff sheets of charges will be issued to shippers. The gentleman referred to will remain in the city for a few days in the interest of their company.

POWDERLY RESIGNS.

A New York dispatch of the 6th, announces that Powderly, Chief of the Knights of Labor, has resigned. His place will speedily be filled by another. The news of Powderly's resignation created a sensation amongst the members of the labor organizations throughout the country.

OREGON'S ELECTION.

The State elections for Oregon were held on Monday. From returns received the indications are that Pennoyer, Democrat, has been elected Governor by a large majority. The Republicans have carried nearly all the State ticket, but by what majorities it is not yet known.

H. HELGESEN will be a Candidate for re-election to represent the District of Esquimalt at the coming Provincial Election.

The Hall Type Writer.

The simplest, easiest to work and cheapest in the market—$50.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA STATIONERY AND PRINTING CO. (Limited).
J. B. FERGUSON, General Manager.

The Methodist Church Sabbath School Picnic on Dominion Day to Peddar Bay and return, $1. Tickets for sale at the Book Stores.

Just received Opera and Field Glasses, best quality. M. W. Waitt & Co.

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.

Mr. H. Helgesen, one of the representatives for Esquimalt district, will be a candidate for re-election. At present Mr. Helgesen is attending to his fishing business and may not find it possible to return in time for the nomination. THE TIMES has his authority to say that he will again seek the suffrages of the electors. In the meantime the electors should be cautious about promising either Mr. Pooley or Mr. Higgins, who are making a personal canvass. There is every probability that Mr. J. R. Hett will be the second opposition candidate, as his numerous friends are anxious to avenge the trickery by which Mr. Pooley secured the seat at the last election. In a day or two at most the names of both Messrs. Helgesen and Hett will be before the electors. In the meantime give the Government candidates no pledges.

SPRINKLING THE STREETS

There was a little friction yesterday and to day between the Council, as represented by the Mayor, and the fire department, as represented by the Chief Engineer. The Water committee recommended, instead of the present system of street sprinkling, that one of the fire engines be employed for five hours each day in pumping from the lower to the higher levels, in the Fort street main, where there is a stop valve. By this means a pressure of 100 pounds could be secured for the higher altitudes, which would, it was thought, give an ample supply of water, and thereby remove the cause that induced Mr. Justice Gray to issue an injunction. This accomplished, it was proposed to use water for street sprinkling from the hydrants as formerly. To carry out this experiment, the Mayor gave orders that the Tiger engine should be employed, but the Chief Engineer demurred, on the ground that the engine was not in order and the fire wardens had instructed him not to use it for that purpose. Mr. Hendry, however, this morning, tested the Tiger, which worked satisfactorily, and afterwards took the Deluge to Fort street and pumped from the low to the high hydrant. Owing to the shower last night the streets did not require to be sprinkled during the forenoon; but the plan referred to will be tried for a time. It is due to the Chief Engineer to say that he believes he is acting solely in the interest of the department of which he has charge. He objects to the use of the fire engines and horses for this purpose, and is, it appears, backed up by the fire wardens. It is a pity that there should be any conflict of authority on a matter of this kind. The council, however, is supreme, and all officers must obey its mandates.

REMOVAL OF ANOTHER LANDMARK.

Randall Cesar, an old time barber of this city, and of late a resident on his farm, in Lake District, succumbed on Tuesday morning at the advanced age of seventy-five years. The deceased, a colored gentleman, was quite a character in early days, keeping a barber shop where Jeffree's clothing store now stands. Fifty years ago he associated with Wm. H. Seward, United States Secretary of State under President Lincoln, and was known to almost every one in the city. Many a youth has had their maiden moustache lathered and shaved by him. Requiescant in pace.

"THE SEASON."

This excellent Ladies' Journal is now ready for July and has been placed on our table by The B. C. Stationery Co. It abounds in all that is known to please and delight the fair sex: Reviews of "novelties" and needlework, costumes, embroidery, designs, initial letters, etc., illustrated with large colored plates and engravings. There are 25 flat paper patterns in the single number. The historical costume pictures also form a very interesting and pretty feature of this journal. On sale at The B. C. Stationery and Printing Co.'s store, third door south of the Postoffice, Government street.

MUSIC ON THE WATERS.

The German Singing Society have chartered a 12-oared barge for an excursion to the Gorge and return this evening, leaving James Bay bridge at 8 o'clock. On their return they will anchor in the harbor and discourse vocal music and those who wish to hear something good should not lose the opportunity of being on hand at 10 o'clock at the water front to hear the gems of Fatherland. The Queen City Band will be there and fireworks will illuminate the scene.

SCHOOL BOYS AGAIN.

"Boys will be boys" and very often have fun at some one else's expense. A resident on Fort street lost a valuable rooster on Tuesday, one of several boys either from the Public or High schools, not known from which institution, breaking its leg with a stone. This is sport, so the boys think, but the owner thinks differently, and although they were seen in the act the particular boy could not be recognized.

"CAN'T RAISE NOTHING."

An excited individual held a crowd at some length on Tuesday night on the "corner," declaring that British Columbia couldn't raise enough vegetables to support its own people. "You can't raise nothing, you make nothing, not even a pitchfork handle." The argumentative outsider chipped in but retired and the excited individual was left master of the field. After all there's a grain of truth in his assertions.

BASE BALL.

On Friday next at 2 o'clock an interesting game of base ball—the first of a series of games—between the Lansdownes, captained by Mr. Chas. Mullen, and the re-organized James Bay nine, Capt. Jesse, may be looked for. They are both determined to win, and it's a case of the "survival of the fittest."

THE OKANAGAN ROAD.

At a public meeting held at Priests' Valley on the 26th ult., a resolution was adopted setting forth the imperative necessity of constructing a wagon road to connect with the C. P. R., and leaving the choice of route to the Government.

OBIT.

Jas. N. D. Peers, a native of Victoria, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Monday afternoon. He was a son of Mr. H. N. Peers, formerly of the H. B. Co.

THE CITY RETURNING OFFICER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Amongst the returning officers for the approaching election appears the name of Mr. Combe, the amiable young gentleman who performs the duties of County Court Registrar in Victoria. At first sight the appointment of an official whose time is already occupied, and who has had no experience in election matters, to undertake the grave responsibilities of returning officer in this city, appears inexplicable. The explanation may, however, be that Mr. Simeon Duck, a candidate, proposes to be *de facto* returning officer, and decide the difficult questions which arise as to the marking and validity of ballots. Those who recollect the dealings of Mr. Sylvester and Mr. Pooley, with the Esquimalt ballot box at the last general election, would have preferred to see a man of experience such as Mr. Bull, preside over the city election.

A VOTER.

DOINGS AT KAMLOOPS.

Very Remarkable Weather—Extensive Building Operations.

Extraordinary Lemonade at the Races—Spreading the Gospel.

The weather is warm, unqualifiedly warm. It is weather which makes one doff his coat, and the small boy discard his shoes. It is weather which makes one envy the proprietor of an ice house and banker for claret punch. It is weather which, taking into consideration the cloudless sky, the languid river fringed with green and all the sights around, picturesque, poetic and otherwise, makes one sigh for a prolonged existence, inasmuch as it passes comprehension how it can be improved in the sphere of eternal bliss. A more propitious weather for

OUT DOOR SPARKING

it is impossible to conceive of, and doubtless a large proportion of the door yard gates in town will sag badly before the season is over. Ah me! but this last sentence gives me a twinge of reminiscence. 'Tis not relevant, I know, but it reminds me so forcibly of a period before "Time had dug deep trenches in my brow," before baldness had set in, before rheumatism and dyspepsia had commenced their inroads, that I cannot forbear remarking that I too have hung on a door yard gate. Did I rant about the weather as I do now? It strikes me that I did. She who listened to me, and who subsequently married a school master, will no doubt corroborate me. The memory of those days of the J. P. makes the right flew back on its hinge striking the unlucky limb of the law in the eye. Beefsteak rare was the next phase of the skirmish

BREVITIES.

The new school house contract was awarded to Mr. D. Pratt.

The Thompson river is higher than it has been for several years. A flood is apprehended.

The steamer Peerless some time this month will make a trip up the North Thompson a hundred miles. *Bona fide* prospectors, I understand, will be carried free.

At a political meeting at Nicola a few days ago, a party remarked that anybody who could lead a horse to water was qualified to sit in the local house. He was asked to take back that statement. Declining to do so, he got thrashed.

Hugh got into a political wrestle last Sunday night with an old fellow lately from Ontario. The old fellow said the *Globe* was a liar. He replied that since the old gentleman appeared to be muscular, and had the sympathy of the listening crowd, he would go and fix up his manifests. An hour later, walking down the railway track, it was perfectly manifest to McG. that Hugh had a monopoly for the evening.

BUILDING OPERATIONS.

For the past two weeks there has been quite an excitement regarding the new town site. Lots are being offered for sale and a number have been taken. Mr. Jones already has located a lot for a $10,000 hotel. The Arlington House is being moved and will be ready for business in about ten days. The Gordon Bros. are putting up a large furniture establishment and the Inland *Sentinel* offices are in progress of construction. Mr. Spiuks, I understand, will build on a large scale, and in fact it is only a matter of time when all the business of the old town will be transferred to the new. The site of the new town is elevated and affords an excellent view of

AS PICTURESQUE A REGION

as B. C. can boast. To the westward the course of the South Thompson may be traced as far as Tranquille and Battle Mountain, while to the northward, whence comes the furgid North Thompson, we have the rugged, mystic, mountain scenery suggestive of gold fields, and the alleged abiding place of a poet. Yes, the North Thompson has a poet. Whether it is a natural production of that region, or an importation from Ontario I have been unable to ascertain. I call it an it, because, I am unacquainted with its gender. Gossip says it is a man. Its muse has been silent of late. Possibly it is storing up a lot of poetic energy for election times. In such a case it will have a wide field for selection, for rumor says that the number of candidates are a legion.

THE RACES ON THE 24TH,

lacked the interest which was evinced on former occasions. None but local horses were entered. It is to be regretted that outside horses were conspicuous by their absence. The defeat of Daschites last fall made it perfectly apparent that none but fast horses stood any chance of winning against McKinnon's Jimmy, and hence this failure and that of others to appear. We don't want to boast, but if there are any horses that can beat Jimmy and Wanda, Kamloops will go broke. The races were conducted on strictly temperance principles. This was brought about in this wise: As soon as it became understood that races would form a feature of the celebration, a petition was circulated, praying that no license to sell intoxicants on the grounds be granted. Everybody signed it from Ned Cannell down to Moustache Jim.

A TEMPERANCE WAVE

seemed to have struck the town. The remarkable feature of this reform was that it had the effect to develop the latent qualities of lemonade. To the most casual observer it was apparent that Dave's lemonade possessed extraordinary exhilarating qualities. After getting outside a few glasses of this pre-eminently Sunday-school-picnic-thirst-assuager, a genial glow would overspread the most cynical countenance. I said to myself, how can these things be? It is entirely outside my line of experience. How is it that men, and especially the prominent politician, a man who has the reputation of pursuing a perfectly consistent course, so far as the elixir of rye is concerned, has suddenly taken to lemonade, and with apparent relish? Is it that he wishes to propitiate the temperance people, or is it that 24th of May lemonade is

AN ENTIRELY DIFFERENT ARTICLE

from that which is concocted under Sunday school auspices? In my perplexity, I applied to a bystander for a solution of the enigma. He laughed me to scorn. About this time a strange gentleman took up a position in front of the judge's stand and began to talk loudly and incoherently. Our constable remonstrated with him and begged him as he valued his social status and the moral tone of the community to desist. Desist! Well, hardly; he was packing too much lemonade for that. Thereupon Tom adopted coercive measures, and in a few minutes the belligerent stranger was a guest of the town. The excitement of this little affair had hardly died away, when between the judge's stand and the lemonade dispensary, a tall, gaunt figure, astride a fiery steed, loomed up. It was evident at once that he was a victim of lemonade. Don Quixote in the streets of Barcelona, with a bunch of briars under Rozanante's tail, furnishes the only parallel I know of in regard to the party alluded to. The captain sat on his horse as the Don might have sat; he harangued the crowd as the Don might have done, and, under his horse's tail, held firmly by the pressure of that appendage upon it, was

A NARROW STRIP OF BOARD

about three feet long. Had the captain's horse bucked and thrown him, as was the case with the unlucky knight, nothing would be lacking to complete the resemblance. But the horse did not buck and at last accounts the military gentleman was slowly returning to a normal condition. Taking into consideration the extraordinary behavior of the parties who partook of Dave's beverage, it strikes me that the secret of its composition should be divulged. If lemonade may be so brewed as to nullify temperance reform no time should be lost in giving it a proper classification. It is not often that the

PROFESSIONAL MEN OF KAMLOOPS

indulge in exercise of so vigorous a character as to displace their shirt collars and mar their eyesight. When they do, however, the situation soars above mere rowdyism—I might designate it as picturesque. At all events there was a little fracas in our court room the other day which for the moment was the talk of the town. The lawyer objected to certain evidence as immaterial and irrelevant, and was promptly over-ruled by the presiding justice. Sarcastic language followed, wherein the former was stigmatized as a relative of the animal Balaam rode. This not suiting the lawyer, he in turn made some allegations in a strain equally complimentary, and the J. P., being of a choleric disposition replied by flinging the good book at his head.

THE ASSOCIATION OF IDEAS

diametrically opposed to each other under certain conditions, is one of these things which philosophers have pondered over without arriving at any very satisfactory conclusion. The cranium of the legal gentleman is as bald as a billiard ball. The J. P. is a billiard player of considerable skill, and the fact that the "word" caromed off the lawyer's head struck the stove and pocketed itself in a spectator's lap suggests to the speculative on-looker, that rage destructive not to say sacrilegious in its operations does not wholly disassociate itself from habit. The extraordinary evolutions of the sacred writ, may have been a coincidence, but it is more than probable that the billiard instinct was strong enough to give the

IMPROVISED BILLIARD BALL

the necessary "English" to bring about the results described. Naturally the lawyer by this time was in a humor for wishing himself the proprietor of a gatling gun, for on the instant he fired a package of summons at his antagonist. These instruments, effectual enough in their way, in this instance were disregarded and as a last resort the lawyer turned loose a siege gun in the shape of the great seal of B. C. The recoil of this instrument, however, proved the lawyer's destruction, for while the spectators temporarily suspended J. P. rubbed the right flew back on its hinge striking the unlucky limb of the law in the eye. Beefsteak rare was the next phase of the skirmish

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THE TURTLES AND THE BEARS.

How the Picture-Writings of the North American Indians Are Produced.

Let us see how an Indian of North America goes to work to write. Suppose a wild Indian belonging to the great clan whose members call themselves the Turtles makes a raid on a village of huts and wigwams owned by enemies belonging to the widespread clan called the Bear clan. Suppose it has taken the Turtles three days of hard travel through forests and and over the hills to reach the Bears. By means of their crafty spies they find that the brave men of the Bears are away hunting moose, and that most of the squaws and papposes are either in the fields of maize or in the woods, where the berries are ripe, and only a few old men and women are left behind to keep watch over some ponies and oxen. Then the Turtles, each clutching his bow, creep on the village under cover of the woods, and with a terrific yell rush at the wigwams. The old people run into the bushes, frightened almost to death, as you can well imagine. Then the Turtles gather up all the ponies and oxen, drive them off, burn all the wigwams they can, and hurry home with the cattle

Now these savages think they have done quite a fine thing in robbing their neighbors of their cattle and plundering and burning their homes, as does one great nation in Europe when, like our Turtle chieftain, badly counseled by wicked and ambitious men, it robs another of a great province and forces the wretched people who dwell there to obey the laws of a nation they dislike. And they wish to let other Indians know what clever robbers they have been. So the Turtle chief chooses a piece of smooth, cream-colored birch-bark, chews up a little tobacco to serve as ink, plucks a twig of soft wood for a pen, and with the tobacco juice draws the following pictures:

First comes a turtle, and it is a very big turtle, because he thinks that he and his clan are very great personages, indeed. Then he draws as many waving lines, to represent bows, as there are Indians in his party, and perhaps the same number of Indians with topknots; his lines bend forward to show in what direction the trail went. Following these a rising sun stands for daybreak, and three lines under it means that three days went by in going to the Bears. Next he puts down as many little pyramids as there were Bear wigwams, and draws them upside down to show that they were destroyed. After that he draws as well as he can, a wee, wee bear, very small, in order to show his contempt for the bears. Finally he draws with the greatest care as many oxen and ponies as he has captured, because he is chiefly proud of this part of his exploit, and wishes all the world of the woods to know what a great and successful robber he is. He does not tell that the Bear braves were away when he surprised the camp, and probably does not care to tell that part of the story. We may understand it from the absence of any sign for scalps. Had there been resistance and men slain on either side, the exact number of dead would have been noted by drawing just as many human figures without their heads.—St. Nicholas.

Cost of a Millionaire's Dining-Room.

"How much does it cost to furnish a dining-room for the mansion of a millionaire?" was asked of a fashionable furniture dealer the other day.

"Well, that depends entirely on what he is willing to pay. Chairs, for instance, range in price from $15 to $60 apiece—that is, the chairs for the side of the table. The arm-chairs that are placed at either end cost from $30 each up to $100. Tables run from $50 each to $250, according to the wood that is used. All tables are, of course, of the extension pattern. We do not sell any that can not be extended to eighteen or twenty feet in length."

"What would a carved oak dining set cost?"

"Here is a sample of a chair with carved oak feet and back. It is covered with embossed leather, decorated by hand. Such a chair will last 100 years. It is worth $60. The arm-chairs to match are worth $90 each. Put six or eight chairs on a side and add a table, and the set would cost in round figures $1,200. That does not include a sideboard and a side-table. Of course there are cheaper sets," remarked the dealer with a beautiful smile. "Food, doubtless, does one as much good when set before one on a rough pine board," he soliloquized, "but people who can afford to prefer not to take it that way, and therefore we exist."—Philadelphia Press.

Aim above morality. Be not simply good. Be good for something.—Thoreau.

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J. W. CAREY will be a Candidate for this City at the coming Provincial Election.

June 2

LOWER YET.

Old furniture repaired and re-upholstered. New sold at bottom prices by R. A. Anderson, successor to Anderson & Anderson, Fort street, between Broad and Douglas streets. *

GOSNELL'S SUGAR CURED HAMS

are now ready at his store, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets. *

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

For fancy cakes, bread, pies, and crackers of all kinds leave your order at the New England bakery, Government street. Wedding cakes made to order at short notice. Fresh oysters always on hand. Goods delivered to all parts of the city. Young Bros. *

SCOTCH BAKERY.—J. Russell, SCOTCH BAKERY, Douglas street, near Johnson Victoria, B. C. All kinds of Scotch pastry; Tea bread fresh every day; hot mutton pies. *

—The thoroughbred Jersey Bull "El Rio," No. 13608, at Kelvin street, (opposite Tolmie's gate) Saanich Road. For particulars of service apply to F. REVELY, Victoria. P. O. Box 438. *

Artistic Binding executed in this Province ONLY by R. T. Williams; and out of the Province by the other (?) Binder, assisted by un-British Nepotism of the present Local Government.

NEW TO-DAY.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Samuel Adler and James P. McCarthy, carrying on business at Granite City as Hotel keepers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Samuel Adler will continue on the business and assume all responsibility from date of partnership agreement.

(Signed) SAM'L ADLER,
J. P. McCARTHY.

Witness, G. C. WEBSTER.
Granite Creek, June 2, 1886. Jn e9 D&W 1m

FOR ALASKA.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO.'S STEAMSHIP

"Ancon,"

Will sail from

Victoria for Alaska

On TUESDAY, 15th inst.

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

June 9

Annual School Meeting.

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Registered Householders and Freeholders of

Victoria City School District

Will be held on

Monday, the 14th day of June, 1886,

AT THE

CITY HALL,

Commencing at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Trustees.

CHAS. HAYWARD, Secretary.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF THE District of New Westminster

GENTLEMEN,—

Having received quite a number of inducements from the electors to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate at the forthcoming Provincial Elections I hereby comply with their desires.

My policy is as follows: To work in the interests of the Workingmen, for they are the bone and sinew of the world, and should be highly respected.

I shall spare no pains in working for the best interest of the Province more especially so for the District I expect to have the honor of representing.

I believe the law should be amended so as to allow married women their dower, for the time has arrived that we should try and compete with our sister provinces.

The Dominion Government should be urged upon by the Local Legislature to throw its lands open for settlement in the forty-mile belt of British Columbia.

Government officials' salaries should be reduced. I shall steadily advocate greater economy for the next term than has been exercised during the last.

I will use my best endeavors to have the revenue carefully expended in roads, bridges and other necessary improvements.

I will fill the promise that if you should disapprove of my stewardship, by a majority of the electors informing me thereof, I will then and therefore lay my seat.

I am opposed to the present Administration, nor will I be bound by any party, unless they agree with my views.

I intend to visit the Polling Divisions of the District, previous to the election, and explain my views more fully.

Your obedient servant,

WILLIAM ISAAC.

Maple Ridge, June 7th, 1886. June9

NEW TO-DAY.

NELSON AND CURTIS'

Oriental Persian Powder.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND Temperance Society.

PICNIC!

On Saturday, June 19th.

☞ Particulars in the course of a few days. je8 td

FIRST ITALIAN Summer Night Festival

OF THE

GERMAN SINGING SOCIETY,

Under the Conductorship of Prof. PFERDNER,

At Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill,

On SATURDAY, June 19th.

Music by the Queen City Brass Band.
Doors open at 6:30 p. m.
DANCING will commence in the finely decorated Hall at 7 p. m.
FIREWORKS, Balloon Ascension and Illumination of Park at 10 p. m.
Admission, 50 cents; Ladies, 25 cents. je7

THE ST. ANDREW'S AND Caledonian Society

Will hold their Twenty-third

ANNUAL GATHERING

—AT THE—

Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill,

—ON—

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1886.

THE PAVILION HAS BEEN SPECIALLY repaired for Dancing, and an efficient Quadrille Band will be in attendance.

PRIZES will be awarded to competitors in National Athletic Games and Dancing.

The grounds will be tastefully decorated and illuminated with the Electric Light. In the evening a

Grand Display of Fireworks

Imported from Barlow's Pyrotechnic works, London.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

Messrs. W. Lorimer and James Russell, Vice-Presidents; D. McKay, Dr. Milne, Thomas Russell, James Hutcheson, R. P. Rithet, A. B. Gray, John Ross, Geo Mann, A. J Smith, Wm. Scott, W. H. Mason, Grieve H. McN. Stuart, A. Allen, Geo. Webb, Jno. Tindall, John Ore and Capt. Urquhart.

JUDGES OF GAMES:

Messrs. James Burns, John Russell, Alex McLean A. B. Gray, James Hutcheson, R. P. Rithet, Capt. Irving, A. Munro, Alex. Allen.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE:

John Boyd, President; Wm. Lorimer and James Russell, Vice-Presidents; John Grant M. P. P., Councillor Smith, J. G. Holden, John Robertson and D. McKay.

STARTERS—Messrs. Thomas Russell and Robert Mitchell.

FLOOR MANAGERS—Messrs. John Orr, Wm. Scott and Geo. Mann.

PIPER TO THE SOCIETY—Mr. David Kennedy.

RANGERS—Messrs Geo. Webb and John Tindall.

ADMISSION, 50 cents, Children under 12, 25 cents.

☞ The Programme of Games will appear in a few days.

TENDERS will be received for supplying the Bar with the best Wines, etc., and also for refreshments in first class style, up to Saturday, 26 inst.

je7 W. H. Mason, Secty

NEW TO-DAY.

REQUISITION.

To R. Dunsmuir, Esq.' M.P.P.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Electors and residents of Nanaimo District, wishing to be represented in the Provincial Parliament by gentlemen who we feel have the general welfare of the Province at heart, and believing from the large interests you have amongst us that your services will be of much value to this constituency, hereby request that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a candidate for the representation of this district at the next election, and we pledge ourselves to use our utmost endeavors to secure your return.

J Webb J Pargeter, sr., W Akenhead, G Churchill, J H Greenwell, J Gordon, Thos Penny, C Bennis, R Nightingale, D Jones, J Phillips, J Dick, P Sabiston, J Beck, W L LeBallister, C Blank, W H Hopkins, John Swift, H P Smith, W L Jeffrey, W M Burke, J P O'Brian, J Wilson, D Johnson W Gibson, W Quinn, A Grant, H McLean, A McLeod, H McAdie, J McLeod, L Page, S Fiddick, J Beaven, R Waskins, G McAllister, D S R Roberts, R P Norris, A Easson, H Bolton, J Norris, J Bolton, J Harvey, W McDonald, Hugh Bolton, W Harrison, W Raybould, H G Leayeraft, T Bolton, W Isbister, R Evans, S Brightman, J J Davis, J Hoskins, jr, A D McKenzie, W Aird, J Pargeter, D Smith, F Pafford, T Akenhead, T Wilks, R Richardson, M Manley, J J Thomas, F H Pearce, P R Smith, N Smith, C York, B Isom, J B Johnson, J McDonald, C L Smith, S Hudson, J McIntosh, J D Edwards, W Manuel, F Coyne, G Williams, E Hoskins, W Horne, S Scott, S Harrower, T Kennedy, J McNeil, J Gilmore, A Ross, L Mounce, R Beauchamp, J Gillespie, John Woods, J Robson, T White, L Jones, James Reid, G Shilleto, J Fraser, J Turner, Wm Hodson, W J Bailey, C McDonald, and 268 others.

REPLY.

VICTORIA, 25th May, 1886.

TO MESSRS. J. WEBB, J. PARGETER, W. AKENHEAD and others.

GENTLEMEN—Until the receipt of your numerously signed requisition it was not my intention to become a candidate for your district, for I felt that you might consider my time was so thoroughly occupied with my own business affairs that your interests could be better entrusted to other hands than my own. I cannot, however, disregard the requisition you have so kindly sent me, recognizing therein that whatever has been lacking in my effort on your behalf you credit me in the past with good intentions, and express confidence as to my conserving your interests in the future. I cannot afford to refuse compliance with the wishes of so many who are residents of a district in which I have spent the best portion of my life and in which they and myself have a common interest. I therefor heartily thank you for the nomination and cheerfully accept it, and if elected I shall do my best to promote the well being of your constituency.

I believe that the Government which I have supported during the past four years has masterfully advanced the prosperity of the Province, and while their efforts are continued in the same direction, I shall, if elected, render them independent support, believing such a course will be in the best interest of the country and in accordance with the view of the great majority of the whole people.

I am Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
R. DUNSMUIR.

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Artillery Picnic.

THE OFFICERS, N. C. O. AND MEN OF THE B. C. Brigade of Garrison Artillery will hold their

ANNUAL PICNIC!

AT THE

Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill,

ON DOMINION DAY, JULY 1st,

Under the patronage of His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Cornwall.

PROGRAMMES of Sports and Games, with Liberal Prize List, will be issued at an early date.

There will be a GRAND TOMBOLA, the Prizes for which will shortly be exhibited.

The ARTILLERY BAND will play at intervals during the afternoon, and an efficient Quadrille Band will be provided for dancing in the Pavilion during the evening.

Tickets, 50 Cts; Children Half-price

TOMBOLA TICKETS, 10 cents each, can be obtained from any member of the corps, and one will be presented to each lady on entering the grounds.

Gates open at half-pass one; sports to commence at 2, and dancing at 7:30 p. m.

By order, W. H. SMALLFIELD, Lieut.

For San Francisco.

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The Pacific Coast Steamship Co.'s Steamer

"MEXICO,"

CAPTAIN HUNTINGTON,

Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

Saturday, June 12, at 1 p. m.

Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock p. m., on Friday, June 11.

For Freight and Passage apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

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For Fort Simpson and Way Ports.

CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.

THE FINE NEW SCREW STEAMER

"Barbara Boscowitz,"

Will sail from Spratt's Wharf

On THURSDAY, JUNE 10,

At 7 p. m. sharp.

No freight will be received after 5 o'clock p. m. on Thursday.

For freight or passage, apply to

GEORGE E. MUNRO, Agent.

je7 At J. D. Warren's office, Wharf street

Notice.

THE public are hereby notified that the names of persons desirous of becoming candidates on the Workingmen's Ticket for the coming Election, or of persons whom others may desire to nominate as candidates on the said tickets will be received by the Secretary of the Workingmen's Convention at the office of the "Industrial News" Williams' Building, Broad street, until the hour of FIVE in the afternoon of THURSDAY next, 10th inst.

By order of the Convention.

W. MACNAB STUART, Secretary.

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CHALLENGE.

WE, the undersigned, do not feel satisfied with the result of the race on the 5th inst., and will match "Sleepy George" against the mare "Fanny Irving" for the sum of $250 a side, to be trotted according to the National Rules, at the Victoria Driving Park, in twenty days from the time this challenge is accepted. This challenge is left open until the 20th inst.

We consider we were unfairly dealt with in the last race by Jack Davis and Bill Bowman, two of the Judges.

June 8 BUTLER & REYNOLDS.

Re Powers Brothers Estate.

WE BEG TO GIVE NOTICE that a first dividend in the above estate will be declared (and be payable) on the 10th day of July next, at the office of J. H. Todd & Son, Victoria. All parties who have any claim against said estate, and wish to participate in proceeds thereof, are hereby notified to present a certified statement in detail of such claim to us on or before said date.

J. H. TODD, S. J. PITTS, Assignees.

Victoria, 5th, 1886. je4 D&W 1m